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## **AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 25, 1999, please extend the period of time for response one month, to expire on June 25, 1999. Enclosed is a Petition for an Extension of Time and the requisite fee. Please amend the application as follows:

## In the Claims:

Please cancel claims 2, and amend claims 1, 3, 7 11, and 22 as follows: